

# State of Louisiana

Office of Risk Management  
Self Insurance Fund

Office of the Governor  
Division of Administration

## WORKERS' COMPENSATION DECLARATIONS

<b>NAMED INSURED AND ADDRESS</b>	State of Louisiana, All State Departments, Agencies, Boards and Commissions c/o Office of Risk Management Post Office Box 91106 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821-9106	<b>POLICY NO.</b>	WC20142015			
		<b>POLICY PERIOD</b>	12:01 A.M. Standard time at the address of the named insured as stated herein.			
			<b>FROM:</b>	July 1, 2014	<b>TO:</b>	July 1, 2015

### NOTE

In return for payment of the premium, and subject to all the terms of this policy, we agree with you to provide the insurance as stated in this policy. The parties agree that this contract is subject to and conditioned upon the availability and appropriation of the funds necessary for any and all amounts that may be due in accord with the provisions herein. Be it understood and agreed that wherever the word company or State is used in this form or any form attached thereto, the words State Of Louisiana Self Insurance Program Fund shall be substituted therefore. Be it further agreed that the words policy and certificate shall be synonymous.

This policy is subject to cost allocation plan of Office of Risk Management.

3. A. Workers Compensation Insurance: Part One of the policy applies to the Workers Compensation Law of the states listed here: **ALL STATES**

B. Employer's Liability Insurance: Part Two of the policy applies to work in each state listed in item 3.A.  
The limits of our liability under Part Two are:  
**Bodily Injury by Accident: \$5,000,000 each accident**  
**Bodily Injury by Disease: \$5,000,000 policy limit**  
**Bodily Injury by Disease: \$5,000,000 each employee**

C. Other States Insurance: Part Three of the policy applies to the states, if any, listed here:  
**ALL STATES**

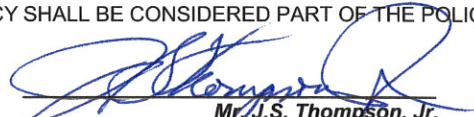
D. This policy includes these endorsements and schedules:  
**WC 00 00 00 B WC 00 02 01 A WC 17 03 02**  
**WC 00 01 06 A WC 00 01 01 A Endorsements 1-5**  
**WC 00 02 03 WC 00 03 11 A**

4. The premium for this policy will be determined by our Manuals of Rules, Classifications, Rates, and Rating Plans.  
All information required below is subject to verification and change by audit.

Classification	Code Number	Premium Basis Total Estimated Annual Renumeration	Rate per \$100 of Renumeration	Flat Annual Premium
*	*	*	*	<b>As Billed</b>

Total Annual Premium: **\$ As Billed**

THE CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE ISSUED DURING THE TERM OF THIS POLICY SHALL BE CONSIDERED PART OF THE POLICY.

  
Mr. J.S. Thompson, Jr.  
State Risk Director

## WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY

In return for the payment of the premium and subject to all terms of this policy, we agree with you as follows:

**GENERAL SECTION****A. The Policy**

This policy includes at its effective date the Information Page and all endorsements and schedules listed there. It is a contract of insurance between you (the employer named in Item 1 of the Information Page) and us (the insurer named on the Information Page). The only agreements relating to this insurance are stated in this policy. The terms of this policy may not be changed or waived except by endorsement issued by us to be part of this policy.

**B. Who Is Insured**

You are insured if you are an employer named in Item 1 of the Information Page. If that employer is a partnership, and if you are one of its partners, you are insured, but only in your capacity as an employer of the partnership's employees.

**C. Workers Compensation Law**

Workers Compensation Law means the workers or workmen's compensation law and occupational disease law of each state or territory named in Item 3.A. of the Information Page. It includes any amendments to that law which are in effect during the policy period. It does not include any federal workers or workmen's compensation law, any federal occupational disease law or the provisions of any law that provide nonoccupational disability benefits.

**D. State**

State means any state of the United States of America, and the District of Columbia.

**E. Locations**

This policy covers all of your workplaces listed in Items 1 or 4 of the Information Page; and it covers all other workplaces in Item 3.A. states unless you have other insurance or are self-insured for such workplaces.

**PART ONE****WORKERS COMPENSATION INSURANCE****A. How This Insurance Applies**

This workers compensation insurance applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.
2. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of your employment. The employee's last day of last exposure to the conditions causing or aggravating such bodily injury by disease must occur during the policy period.

**B. We Will Pay**

We will pay promptly when due the benefits required of you by the workers compensation law.

**C. We Will Defend**

We have the right and duty to defend at our expense any claim, proceeding or suit against you for benefits payable by this insurance. We have the right to investigate and settle these claims, proceedings or suits.

We have no duty to defend a claim, proceeding or suit that is not covered by this insurance.

**D. We Will Also Pay**

We will also pay these costs, in addition to other amounts payable under this insurance, as part of any claim, proceeding or suit we defend:

1. reasonable expenses incurred at our request, but not loss of earnings;
2. premiums for bonds to release attachments and for appeal bonds in bond amounts up to the amount payable under this insurance;
3. litigation costs taxed against you;
4. interest on a judgment as required by law until we offer the amount due under this insurance; and
5. expenses we incur.

**E. Other Insurance**

We will not pay more than our share of benefits and costs covered by this insurance and other insurance or self-insurance. Subject to any limits of liability that may apply, all shares will be equal until the loss is paid. If any insurance or self-insurance is exhausted, the shares of all remaining insurance will be equal until the loss is paid.

**F. Payments You Must Make**

You are responsible for any payments in excess of the benefits regularly provided by the workers compensation law including those required because:

1. of your serious and willful misconduct;
2. you knowingly employ an employee in violation; of law;
3. you fail to comply with a health or safety law or regulation; or
4. you discharge, coerce or otherwise discriminate against any employee in violation of the workers compensation law.

If we make any payments in excess of the benefits regularly provided by the workers compensation law on your behalf, you will reimburse us promptly.

**G. Recovery From Others**

We have your rights, and the rights of persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance, to recover our payments from anyone liable for the injury. You will do everything necessary to protect those rights for us and to help us enforce them.

**H. Statutory Provisions**

These statements apply where they are required by law.

1. As between an injured worker and us, we have notice of the injury when you have notice.
2. Your default or the bankruptcy or insolvency of you or your estate will not relieve us of our duties under this insurance after an injury occurs.
3. We are directly and primarily liable to any person entitled to the benefits payable by this insurance. Those persons may enforce our duties; so may an agency authorized by law. Enforcement may be against us or against you and us.
4. Jurisdiction over you is jurisdiction over us for purposes of the workers compensation law. We are bound by decisions against you under that law, subject to the provisions of this policy that are not in conflict with that law.

5. This insurance conforms to the parts of the workers compensation law that apply to:

- a. benefits payable by this insurance;
- b. special taxes, payments into security or other special funds, and assessments payable by us under that law.

6. Terms of this insurance that conflict with the workers compensation law are changed by this statement to conform to that law.

Nothing in these paragraphs relieves you of your duties under this policy.

**PART TWO**

**EMPLOYERS LIABILITY INSURANCE**

**A. How This Insurance Applies**

This employers liability insurance applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. The bodily injury must arise out of and in the course of the injured employee's employment by you.
2. The employment must be necessary or incidental to your work in a state or territory listed in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.
3. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.
4. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of your employment. The employee's last day of last exposure to the conditions causing or aggravating such bodily injury by disease must occur during the policy period.
5. If you are sued, the original suit and any related legal actions for damages for bodily injury by accident or by disease must be brought in the United States of America, its territories or possessions, or Canada.

**B. We Will Pay**

We will pay all sums you legally must pay as damages because of bodily injury to your employees, provided the bodily injury is covered by this Employers Liability Insurance.

The damages we will pay, where recovery is permitted by law, include damages:

1. for which you are liable to a third party by reason of a claim or suit against you by that third party to recover the damages claimed against such

third party as a result of injury to your employee;

2. for care and loss of services; and
3. for consequential bodily injury to a spouse, child, parent, brother or sister of the injured employee; provided that these damages are the direct consequence of bodily injury that arises out of and in the course of the injured employee's employment by you; and
4. because of bodily injury to your employee that arises out of and in the course of employment, claimed against you in a capacity other than as employer.

### C. Exclusions

This insurance does **not** cover:

1. liability assumed under a contract. This exclusion does not apply to a warranty that your work will be done in a workmanlike manner;
2. punitive or exemplary damages because of bodily injury to an employee employed in violation of law;
3. bodily injury to an employee while employed in violation of law with your actual knowledge or the actual knowledge of any of your executive officers;
4. any obligation imposed by a workers compensation, occupational disease, unemployment compensation, or disability benefits law, or any similar law;
5. bodily injury intentionally caused or aggravated by you;
6. bodily injury occurring outside the United States of America, its territories or possessions, and Canada. This exclusion does not apply to bodily injury to a citizen or resident of the United States of America or Canada who is temporarily outside these countries;
7. damages arising out of coercion, criticism, demotion, evaluation, reassignment, discipline, defamation, harassment, humiliation, discrimination against or termination of any employee, or any personnel practices, policies, acts or omissions;

8. bodily injury to any person in work subject to the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC Sections 901-950), the Nonappropriated Fund Instrumentalities Act (5 USC Sections 8171-8173), the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act (43 USC Sections 1331-1356a.), the Defense Base Act (42 USC Sections 1651-1654), the Federal Coal Mine Safety and Health Act (30 USC Sections 801-945), any other federal workers or workmen's compensation law or other federal occupational disease law, or any amendments to these laws;
9. bodily injury to any person in work subject to the Federal Employers' Liability Act (45 USC Sections 51-60), any other federal laws obligating an employer to pay damages to an employee due to bodily injury arising out of or in the course of employment, or any amendments to those laws;
10. bodily injury to a master or member of the crew of any vessel;
11. fines or penalties imposed for violation of federal or state law; and
12. damages payable under the Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection Act (29 USC Sections 1801-1872) and under any other federal law awarding damages for violation of those laws or regulations issued thereunder, and any amendments to those laws.

### D. We Will Defend

We have the right and duty to defend, at our expense, any claim, proceeding or suit against you for damages payable by this insurance. We have the right to investigate and settle these claims, proceedings and suits.

We have no duty to defend a claim, proceeding or suit that is not covered by this insurance. We have no duty to defend or continue defending after we have paid our applicable limit of liability under this insurance.

### E. We Will Also Pay

We will also pay these costs, in addition to other amounts payable under this insurance, as part of any claim, proceeding, or suit we defend:

1. reasonable expenses incurred at our request, but not loss of earnings;
2. premiums for bonds to release attachments and for appeal bonds in bond amounts up to the limit of our liability under this insurance;
3. litigation costs taxed against you;
4. interest on a judgment as required by law until we offer the amount due under this insurance; and
5. expenses we incur.

**F. Other Insurance**

We will not pay more than our share of damages and costs covered by this insurance and other insurance or self-insurance. Subject to any limits of liability that apply, all shares will be equal until the loss is paid. If any insurance or self-insurance is exhausted, the shares of all remaining insurance and self-insurance will be equal until the loss is paid.

**G. Limits of Liability**

Our liability to pay for damages is limited. Our limits of liability are shown in Item 3.B. of the Information Page. They apply as explained below.

1. **Bodily Injury by Accident.** The limit shown for "bodily injury by accident-each accident" is the most we will pay for all damages covered by this insurance because of bodily injury to one or more employees in any one accident.

A disease is not bodily injury by accident unless it results directly from bodily injury by accident.

2. **Bodily Injury by Disease.** The limit shown for "bodily injury by disease-policy limit" is the most we will pay for all damages covered by this insurance and arising out of bodily injury by disease, regardless of the number of employees who sustain bodily injury by disease. The limit shown for "bodily injury by disease-each employee" is the most we will pay for all damages because of bodily injury by disease to any one employee.

Bodily injury by disease does not include disease that results directly from a bodily injury by accident.

3. We will not pay any claims for damages after we have paid the applicable limit of our liability under this insurance.

**H. Recovery From Others**

We have your rights to recover our payment from anyone liable for an injury covered by this insurance. You will do everything necessary to protect those rights for us and to help us enforce them.

**I. Actions Against Us**

There will be no right of action against us under this insurance unless:

1. You have complied with all the terms of this policy; and

2. The amount you owe has been determined with our consent or by actual trial and final judgment.

This insurance does not give anyone the right to add us as a defendant in an action against you to determine your liability. The bankruptcy or insolvency of you or your estate will not relieve us of our obligations under this Part.

**PART THREE**

**OTHER STATES INSURANCE**

**A. How This Insurance Applies**

1. This other states insurance applies only if one or more states are shown in Item 3.C. of the Information Page.
2. If you begin work in any one of those states after the effective date of this policy and are not insured or are not self-insured for such work, all provisions of the policy will apply as though that state were listed in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.
3. We will reimburse you for the benefits required by the workers compensation law of that state if we are not permitted to pay the benefits directly to persons entitled to them.
4. If you have work on the effective date of this policy in any state not listed in Item 3.A. of the Information Page, coverage will not be afforded for that state unless we are notified within thirty days.

**B. Notice**

Tell us at once if you begin work in any state listed in Item 3.C. of the Information Page.

**PART FOUR**

**YOUR DUTIES IF INJURY OCCURS**

Tell us at once if injury occurs that may be covered by this policy. Your other duties are listed here.

1. Provide for immediate medical and other services required by the workers compensation law.
2. Give us or our agent the names and addresses of the injured persons and of witnesses, and other information we may need.
3. Promptly give us all notices, demands and legal



papers related to the injury, claim, proceeding or suit.

4. Cooperate with us and assist us, as we may request, in the investigation, settlement or defense of any claim, proceeding or suit.
5. Do nothing after an injury occurs that would interfere with our right to recover from others.
6. Do not voluntarily make payments, assume obligations or incur expenses, except at your own cost.

## PART FIVE

### PREMIUM

#### A. Our Manuals

All premium for this policy will be determined by our manuals of rules, rates, rating plans and classifications. We may change our manuals and apply the changes to this policy if authorized by law or a governmental agency regulating this insurance.

#### B. Classifications

Item 4 of the Information Page shows the rate and premium basis for certain business or work classifications. These classifications were assigned based on an estimate of the exposures you would have during the policy period. If your actual exposures are not properly described by those classifications, we will assign proper classifications, rates and premium basis by endorsement to this policy.

#### C. Remuneration

Premium for each work classification is determined by multiplying a rate times a premium basis. Remuneration is the most common premium basis. This premium basis includes payroll and all other remuneration paid or payable during the policy period for the services of:

1. all your officers and employees engaged in work covered by this policy; and
2. all other persons engaged in work that could make us liable under Part One (Workers Compensation Insurance) of this policy. If you do not have payroll records for these persons, the contract price for their services and materials may be used as the premium basis. This paragraph 2 will not apply if you give us proof that the employers of these persons lawfully secured their workers compensation obligations.

#### D. Premium Payments

You will pay all premium when due. You will pay the premium even if part or all of a workers compensation law is not valid.

#### E. Final Premium

The premium shown on the Information Page, schedules, and endorsements is an estimate. The final premium will be determined after this policy ends by using the actual, not the estimated, premium basis and the proper classifications and rates that lawfully apply to the business and work covered by this policy. If the final premium is more than the premium you paid to us, you must pay us the balance. If it is less, we will refund the balance to you. The final premium will not be less than the highest minimum premium for the classifications covered by this policy.

If this policy is canceled, final premium will be determined in the following way unless our manuals provide otherwise;

1. If we cancel, final premium will be calculated pro rata based on the time this policy was in force. Final premium will not be less than the pro rata share of the minimum premium.
2. If you cancel, final premium will be more than pro rata; it will be based on the time this policy was in force, and increased by our short-rate cancellation table and procedure. Final premium will not be less than the minimum premium.

#### F. Records

You will keep records of information needed to compute premium. You will provide us with copies of those records when we ask for them.

#### G. Audit

You will let us examine and audit all your records that relate to this policy. These records include ledgers, journals, registers, vouchers, contracts, tax reports, payroll and disbursement records, and programs for storing and retrieving data. We may conduct the audits during regular business hours during the policy period and within three years after the policy period ends. Information developed by audit will be used to determine final premium. Insurance rate service organizations have the same rights we have under this provision.

**PART SIX**  
**CONDITIONS**

**A. Inspection**

We have the right, but are not obliged to inspect your workplaces at any time. Our inspections are not safety inspections. They relate only to the insurability of the workplaces and the premiums to be charged. We may give you reports on the conditions we find. We may also recommend changes. While they may help reduce losses, we do not undertake to perform the duty of any person to provide for the health or safety of your employees or the public. We do not warrant that your workplaces are safe or healthful or that they comply with laws, regulations, codes or standards. Insurance rate service organizations have the same rights we have under this provision.

**B. Long Term Policy**

If the policy period is longer than one year and sixteen days, all provisions of this policy will apply as though a new policy were issued on each annual anniversary that this policy is in force.

**C. Transfer of Your Rights and Duties**

Your rights or duties under this policy may not be transferred without our written consent.

If you die and we receive notice within thirty days after your death, we will cover your legal representative as insured.

**D. Cancellation**

1. You may cancel this policy. You must mail or deliver advance written notice to us stating when the cancellation is to take effect.
2. We may cancel this policy. We must mail or deliver to you not less than ten days advance written notice stating when the cancellation is to take effect. Mailing that notice to you at your mailing address shown in Item 1 of the Information Page will be sufficient to prove notice.
3. The policy period **will** end on the day and hour stated in the cancellation notice.
4. Any of these provisions that conflict with a law that controls the cancellation of the insurance in this policy is changed by this statement to comply with the law.

**E. Sole Representative**

The insured first named in Item 1 of the Information Page will act on behalf of all insureds to change this policy, receive return premium, and give or receive notice of cancellation.

**LONGSHORE AND HARBOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT COVERAGE ENDORSEMENT**

This endorsement applies only to work subject to the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act in a state shown in the Schedule. The policy applies to that work as though that state were listed in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

General Section C. **Workers' Compensation Law** is replaced by the following:

**C. Workers' Compensation Law**

Workers' Compensation Law means the workers or workmen's compensation law and occupational disease law of each state or territory named in Item 3.A. of the Information Page and the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC Sections 901-950). It includes any amendments to those laws that are in effect during the policy period. It does not include any other federal workers or workmen's compensation law, other federal occupational disease law or the provisions of any law that provide nonoccupational disability benefits.

Part Two (Employers Liability Insurance), C. Exclusions., exclusion 8, does not apply to work subject to the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act.

This endorsement does not apply to work subject to the Defense Base Act, the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, or the Nonappropriated Fund Instrumentalities Act.

## Schedule

State  
ALL STATES

Longshore and Harbor Workers'  
Compensation Act Coverage Percentage

The rates for classifications with code numbers not followed by the letter "F" are rates for work not ordinarily subject to the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act. If this policy covers work under such classifications, and if the work is subject to the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act, those non-F classification rates will be increased by the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act Coverage Percentage shown in the Schedule.

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

Endorsement Effective  
Insured

Policy No.

Endorsement No.  
Premium

Insurance Company

Premium  
Countersigned by \_\_\_\_\_

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VOLUNTARY COMPENSATION MARITIME COVERAGE ENDORSEMENT

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This endorsement adds Voluntary Compensation Maritime Insurance to the policy.

**A. How This Insurance Applies**

This insurance applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. The bodily injury must be sustained by an employee who is a master or member of the crew of a vessel described in the Schedule.
2. The bodily injury must occur in employment that is necessary or incidental to work described in Item 2 of the Schedule.
3. The bodily injury must occur in the territorial limits of, or in the operation of a vessel sailing directly between the ports of, the continental United States of America, Alaska, Hawaii or Canada.
4. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.
5. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of your employment. The employee's last day of last exposure to the conditions causing or aggravating such bodily injury by disease must occur during the policy period.

**B. We Will Pay**

We will pay an amount equal to the benefits that would be required of you if you and your employees described in Item 1 of the Schedule were subject to the workers compensation law shown in Item 1 of the Schedule. We will pay those amounts to the persons who would be entitled to them under that law.

**C. Exclusions**

This insurance does not cover:

1. any obligation imposed by a workers compensation or occupational disease law, or any similar law.
2. bodily injury intentionally caused or aggravated by you.

**D. Before We Pay**

Before we pay benefits to the persons entitled to them, they must:

1. release you and us, in writing, of all responsibility for the injury or death
2. transfer to us their right to recover from others who may be responsible for the injury or death
3. cooperate with us and do everything necessary to enable us to enforce the right to recover from others.

If the persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance fail to do those things, our duty to pay ends at once. If they claim damages from you or us for the injury or death, our duty to pay ends at once.

**E. Recovery From Others**

If we make a recovery from others, we will keep an amount equal to our expenses of recovery and the benefits we paid. We will pay the balance to the persons entitled to it. If the persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance make a recovery from others, they must reimburse us for the benefits we paid them.

## Schedule

1. **Employees**

Workers Compensation Law

Master and members of the crews of these vessels

2. Description of Work: **AS ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF RISK MANAGEMENT**

LOUISIANA

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

Endorsement Effective  
Insured

Policy No.

Endorsement No.  
Premium

Insurance Company

Countersigned by \_\_\_\_\_

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MARITIME COVERAGE ENDORSEMENT

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This endorsement changes how insurance provided by Part Two (Employers Liability Insurance) applies to bodily injury to a master or member of the crew of any vessel.

A. **How This Insurance Applies** is replaced by the following:

A. **How This Insurance Applies**

This insurance applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. The bodily injury must arise out of and in the course of the injured employee's employment by you.
2. The employment must be necessary or incidental to work described in Item 1 of the Schedule of the Maritime Coverage Endorsement
3. The bodily injury must occur in the territorial limits of, or in the operation of a vessel sailing directly between the ports of, the continental United States of America, Alaska, Hawaii or Canada
4. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.
5. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of your employment. The employee's last day of last exposure to the conditions causing or aggravating such bodily injury by disease must occur during the policy period.
6. If you are sued, the original suit and any related legal actions for damages for bodily injury by accident or by disease must be brought in the United States of America, its territories or possessions, or Canada.

C. **Exclusions** is changed by removing exclusion 10 and by adding exclusions 13 and 14.

This insurance does not cover:

13. bodily injury covered by a Protection and Indemnity Policy or similar policy issued to you or for your benefit. This exclusion applies even if the other policy does not apply because of another insurance clause, deductible or limitation of liability clause, or any similar clause.
14. your duty to provide transportation, wages, maintenance and cure. This exclusion does not apply if a premium entry is shown in Item 2 of the Schedule.

D. **We Will Defend** is changed by adding the following statement:

We will treat a suit or other action in rem against a vessel owned or chartered by you as a suit against you.

G. **Limits of Liability**

Our liability to pay for damages is limited. Our limits of liability are shown in the Schedule. They apply as explained below.

1. Bodily Injury by Accident. The limit shown for "bodily injury by accident—each accident" is the most we will pay for all damages covered by this insurance because of bodily injury to one or more employees in any one accident.  
A disease is not bodily injury by accident unless it results directly from bodily injury by accident.
2. Bodily Injury by Disease. The limit shown for "bodily injury by disease—aggregate" is the most we will pay for all damages covered by this insurance because of bodily injury by disease to one or more employees. The limit applies separately to bodily injury by disease arising out of work in each state shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page. Bodily injury by disease will be deemed to occur in the state of the vessel's home port.  
  
Bodily injury by disease does not include disease that results directly from a bodily injury by accident.
3. We will not pay any claims for damages after we have paid the applicable limit of our liability under this insurance.

## Schedule

1. Description of work: **ALL VESSEL OPERATIONS**
2. Transportation, Wages, Maintenance and Cure Premium \$
3. Limits of Liability

Bodily Injury by Accident	<u>\$ 5,000,000</u>	each accident
Bodily Injury by Disease	<u>\$ 5,000,000</u>	each aggregate

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

Endorsement Effective  
Insured

Policy No.

Endorsement No.  
Premium

Insurance Company  
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Countersigned by \_\_\_\_\_

## WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY

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## DEFENSE BASE ACT COVERAGE ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement applies only to the work described in the Schedule or described on the Information Page as subject to the Defense Base Act. The policy applies to that work as though the location included in the description of the work were a state named in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

General Section C. **Workers' Compensation Law** is replaced by the following:

C. **Workers' Compensation Law**

Workers' Compensation Law means the workers or workmen's compensation law and occupational disease law of each state or territory named in Item 3.A. of the Information Page and the Defense Base Act (42 USC Sections 1651–1654). It includes any amendments to those laws that are in effect during the policy period. It does not include any other federal workers or workmen's compensation law, other federal occupational disease law or the provisions of any law that provide nonoccupational disability benefits.

Part Two (Employers Liability Insurance), C. Exclusions., exclusion 8, does not apply to work subject to the Defense Base Act.

Schedule

**Description of Work**

Employees of any Named Insured on overseas military bases and on other overseas locations under public works contracts performed with or for agencies of the United States government.

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

Endorsement Effective  
Insured

Policy No.

Endorsement No.  
Premium

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**VOLUNTARY COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS LIABILITY COVERAGE ENDORSEMENT**

This endorsement adds Voluntary Compensation Insurance to the policy.

**A. How This Insurance Applies**

This insurance applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. The bodily injury must be sustained by an employee included in the group of employees described in the Schedule.
2. The bodily injury must arise out of and in the course of employment necessary or incidental to work in a state listed in the Schedule.
3. The bodily injury must occur in the United States of America, its territories or possessions, or Canada, and may occur elsewhere if the employee is a United States or Canadian citizen temporarily away from those places.
4. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.
5. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of your employment. The employee's last day of last exposure to the conditions causing or aggravating such bodily injury by disease must occur during the policy period.

**B. We Will Pay**

We will pay an amount equal to the benefits that would be required of you if you and your employees described in the Schedule were subject to the workers compensation law shown in the Schedule. We will pay those amounts to the persons who would be entitled to them under the law.

**C. Exclusions**

This insurance does **not** cover:

1. any obligation imposed by a workers compensation or occupational disease law, or any similar law.
2. bodily injury intentionally caused or aggravated by you.

**D. Before We Pay**

Before we pay benefits to the persons entitled to them, they must:

1. Release you and us, in writing, of all responsibility for the injury or death.
2. Transfer to us their right to recover from others who may be responsible for the injury or death.
3. Cooperate with us and do everything necessary to enable us to enforce the right to recover from others.

If the persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance fail to do those things, our duty to pay ends at once. If they claim damages from you or from us for the injury or death, our duty to pay ends at once.

**E. Recovery From Others**

If we make a recovery from others, we will keep an amount equal to our expenses of recovery and the benefits we paid. We will pay the balance to the persons entitled to it. If the persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance make a recovery from others, they must reimburse us for the benefits we paid them.

**F. Employers Liability Insurance**

Part Two (Employers Liability Insurance) applies to bodily injury covered by this endorsement as though the State of Employment shown in the Schedule were shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.



## SCHEDULE

<u>Employees</u>	<u>State of Employment</u>	<u>Designated Workers Compensation Law</u>
VOLUNTEERS	LOUISIANA	LOUISIANA

## Notes:

1. Use this endorsement to afford voluntary compensation coverage pursuant to Rules II and VIII of the Basic Manual.
2. Use Voluntary Compensation Maritime Endorsement to provide Voluntary Compensation Coverage under Program II of Manual Rule XIII.
3. Work in a monopolistic state fund state should not be included in the Schedule unless employers liability coverage is provided in that state by the Employers Liability Coverage Endorsement.
4. Various uses of this endorsement are illustrated below.

## SCHEDULE

<u>Employees</u>	<u>State of Employment</u>	<u>Designated Workers Compensation Law</u>
All officers and employees not subject to the workers compensation law.	Any state shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.	The state where the injury takes place.
All domestics, farm and agricultural workers.	Utah	Utah
All partners of the insured partnership.	Kansas	Kansas

**LOUISIANA PUNITIVE DAMAGES ENDORSEMENT**

This endorsement applies only to the insurance provided by the policy because Louisiana is shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

Part Two-Employers Liability Insurance of the policy is changed by removing the following:

C. Exclusions

2. punitive or exemplary damages because of bodily injury to an employee employed in violation of law.

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

*(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)*

Endorsement Effective \_\_\_\_\_ Policy No. WC20142015 Endorsement No. \_\_\_\_\_

Insured \_\_\_\_\_ Premium \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Countersigned By \_\_\_\_\_

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#### ALL PURPOSE ENDORSEMENT

Policy No.: **WC20142015**  
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Endorsement No.: 1

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#### ADDITIONAL EXCLUSIONS

Be it understood and agreed that coverage provided herein *shall not apply* to:

1. Public officials unless the agency, board, commission, or other public entity with whom each public official is affiliated reports wages paid for each public official to the Office of Risk Management, Division of Administration.
2. The Family Independence Work Program (FIWP) participants. This program is administered by the Department of Children and Family Services, Office of Children and Family Services. Coverage is provided by a separate policy written specifically for the FIWP program.
3. The following entities:
  1. Louisiana State University – Baton Rouge
  2. Louisiana State University Foundation
  3. Louisiana State University Property Foundation
  4. Louisiana State University Marine Property Foundation
  5. Louisiana State University Tiger Athletic Foundation
  6. Louisiana State University System Research & Technology Foundation
  7. Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center – Shreveport Foundation
  8. Pennington Medical Foundation
  9. Pennington Biomedical Research Foundation
  10. Biomedical Research Foundation of Northwest Louisiana

*Nothing herein contained shall be held to vary, alter or extend any of the terms, conditions, agreements or declarations of the policy other than as herein stated.*

**ALL PURPOSE ENDORSEMENT**

Policy No.: **WC20142015**  
Effective Date: **July 1, 2014**

Endorsement No.: **2**

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**ADDITIONAL NAMED INSURED**

**It is agreed the following are additional insureds under this policy.**

1. All affiliated organizations recognized by the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors and any of their wholly-owned subsidiaries, as now or hereafter exist, are added as additional insureds as their interests may appear.
2. The Louisiana Animal Breeders Association is added as an additional insured as their interest may appear.

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**ALL PURPOSE ENDORSEMENT**

Policy No.: **WC20142015**  
Effective Date: **July 1, 2014**

Endorsement No.: **3**

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**OTHER INSURANCE**

Be it understood and agreed the purpose of this endorsement is to *clarify* that coverage afforded by this policy will provide benefits required by the State of Louisiana, Workers Compensation Law with reference to an employee who is injured or who contracts an occupational disease in another state, in a foreign nation, or anywhere in the world, whether the employee is in the foreign nation on either a temporary or a permanent assignment.

Be it understood and agreed the purpose of this endorsement is to *clarify* that this policy is primary only if there is no other commercial insurance in force. If other insurance is in force, this policy is excess.

Notwithstanding any other provision in this policy to the contrary, when determining if this insurance is primary or excess over other valid and collectible insurance, the insurance document/policy containing the more specific designation of the insured, or the more specific designation of the acts, omissions, risks or property covered, will be primary.

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**ALL PURPOSE ENDORSEMENT**

Policy No.: **WC20142015**  
Effective Date: **July 1, 2014**

Endorsement No.: **4**

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**INTERPRETATION OF COVERAGE DOCUMENT**

The interpretation of the terms and provisions of this coverage document will be made pursuant to the laws of the State of Louisiana.

Further interpretation of the terms and provisions of this coverage document, and of any other valid and collectible insurance, including any concurrent or overlapping coverages as a result of other insurance, will be made pursuant to Insurance Industry Standard Practices and Guiding Principles.

This insuring agreement does not, and is not intended to, confer any rights, benefits or remedies upon any person other than the parties hereto, or to an insured as expressly defined herein.

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## ALL PURPOSE ENDORSEMENT

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Endorsement No.: **5**  
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This endorsement forms a part of the policy as numbered above, issued by the Louisiana Self Insurance Program designated therein and takes effect as of the effective date of said policy unless another effective date is stated herein.

### REPORTING OF STATE WORKERS COMPENSATION CLAIMS

- A. All claims must be reported as soon as possible, but no later than the prescription period outlined in Louisiana Civil Code, Title XXIV. Prescription, Articles 3492 through 3505. In most cases, prescription periods are one (1) year. ORM will pay only for covered losses reported before one year from the date of the accident or discovery date. Policy language clearly states..."you must see to it that we are notified as soon as practicable of an "occurrence" or an offense which may result in a claim." FAILURE TO REPORT POTENTIAL CLAIMS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SEVERELY LIMITS THE ABILITY OF ORM TO INVESTIGATE THE FACTS AND MAY COMPROMISE THE STATE'S LEGAL RIGHTS TO SUBROGATION FROM A RESPONSIBLE THIRD PARTY.
- B. The state of Louisiana provides insurance coverage for Worker's Compensation
- C. All accidents or occupational diseases involving state employees while in the course and scope of their employment with the state are to be reported to the Office of Risk Management within five days from the date of injury or knowledge. The forms used for this purpose are the Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Form (E-1, completed at the time of the accident), and the Pre-existing Condition Form (E-2, which was completed when hired). The Office of Risk Management will accept electronic filing of the Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Form. Access [www.doa.louisiana.gov/orm](http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/orm) and click on [Agency Claims Reporting System](#).
- D. Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Forms can be obtained from Forms Management, Box 94095, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9095 and the Pre-existing Condition Form can be obtained from the Office of Risk Management, Claims Section, P. O. Box 91106, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9106.
- E. A copy of the Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Form and a copy of the Pre-existing Condition Form for a claim in which lost time exceeds seven days, is to be submitted to the Office of Worker's Compensation Administration, P. O. Box 94040, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9040 within 10 days of actual knowledge of injury or death.
- F. All Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Forms and Pre-existing Condition Forms are to be accurately and completely filled out.
- G. Information required to be submitted when a worker's compensation claim is reported on the Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Form includes:
  - 1. agency's location code number (located in a block below the Employer's Federal Tax I.D. Number);
  - 2. the occupation of the employee, inclusive of his/her classified or unclassified job title. A classified job title is to include the civil service job classification code number;
  - 3. an injured employee's monthly wages are to be reported on the Employer's Report of Occupational Injury or Disease Form under "Other Wages."

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**ALL PURPOSE ENDORSEMENT**

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H. Information which is to be contained on the Preexisting Condition Form includes:

1. complete name, age, social security number, address, and civil service position being applied for;
  2. check list of possible pre-existing diseases, disabilities, and/or conditions before employment;
  3. description of particulars relative to any checked pre-existing permanent disabilities;
  4. name and address of employer at time of previous injury;
  5. witnessed and dated signature of applicant as to the completeness, accuracy, and validity of the information contained on the Pre-existing Condition Form.
- I. If an injured employee returns to work after having lost time, the Office of Risk Management, Worker's Compensation Claims Unit, is to be notified immediately by telephone, and an Employer's Supplemental Report of Injury is to be submitted confirming the return to work date. Also, an Employer's Supplemental Report of Injury Form is to be submitted to the Office of Risk Management at any time the injured employee's work status changes.
- J. All lawsuits, demands, notices, summons, or other legal documents pertaining to claims are to be forwarded immediately to the Office of Risk Management's Claim Office for further handling.
- K. Any objects and/or products which may have caused, contributed to, or which are suspected of causing any accident are to be retained and preserved as evidence.
- L. Any claim paid by legislative appropriation is to be reported to the Office of Risk Management by Appropriations Control.

*Failure to follow these procedures shall not obviate coverages otherwise provided by this policy.*